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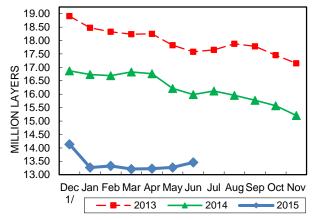
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CALIFORNIA EGG PRODUCTION

California's egg production during June totaled 305 million, down 18 million from May's production and down 67 million from June 2014. The average number of layers during the month totaled 13.5 million, up 200 thousand from last month, but down 16 percent from June 2014. Eggs per 100 layers during the month were 2,266, compared to 2,434 a month earlier, and 2,326 in June 2014.

NUMBER OF LAYERS, CALIFORNIA DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015



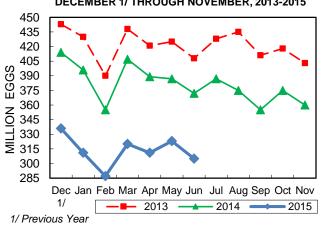
1/ Previous Year

U.S. JUNE EGG PRODUCTION

United States egg production totaled 7.41 billion during June 2015, down 9 percent from last year. Production included 6.30 billion table eggs, and 1.11 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.03 billion were broiler-type and 78 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during June 2015 averaged 328 million, down 9 percent from last year. June egg production per 100 layers was 2,258 eggs, down slightly from June 2014.

All layers in the United States on July 1, 2015 totaled 328 million, down 9 percent from last year. The 328 million layers consisted of 270 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 54.7 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.23 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on July 1, 2015, averaged 75.3 eggs per 100 layers, down 1 percent from July 1, 2014.

EGG PRODUCTION, CALIFORNIA DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015



LAYER NUMBERS AND EGG PRODUCTION DURING JUNE, FORCED MOLTING AS OF JULY 1

	U	Average Number of Layers on Hand		Eggs Per 100 Layers		Total Egg Production		Layers Being Molted		Layers With Molt Completed 1\	
State	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	
	Thou	Thousands		Number		Millions		Percent			
Alabama	9,478	9,672	1,931	1,913	183	185	-	0.5	6.5	7.5	
Arkansas	12,260	12,763	1,982	2,014	243	257	2.0	1.0	12.0	15.0	
California	15,990	13,460	2,326	2,266	372	305	3.5	2.5	31.5	30.0	
Georgia	18,194	18,330	2,089	2,122	380	389	3.0	4.0	17.0	12.5	
Indiana	27,625	26,585	2,320	2,343	641	623	2.0	2.5	24.5	27.5	
Iowa	59,001	34,374	2,295	2,220	1,354	763	3.5	4.0	23.5	23.5	
North Carolina	13,324	14,507	2,064	2,040	275	296	2.5	3.0	12.5	14.5	
Ohio	30,981	31,386	2,298	2,358	712	740	4.0	3.5	25.5	23.0	
Pennsylvania	25,055	25,368	2,431	2,436	609	618	0.5	0.5	5.5	4.5	
Texas	19,025	19,125	2,202	2,175	419	416	3.0	5.5	27.0	36.5	
United States	359.729	328.311	2.266	2.258	8.151	7.412	2.6	2.6	18.0	18.2	

1\ Molted Layers is the same data series as the previously published Forced Molt Layers. Nomenclature changed as of January 2015.

U.S. BROILER-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

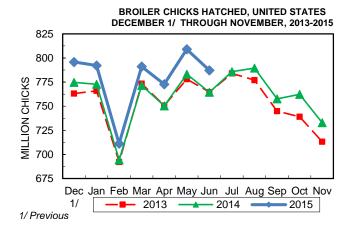
Broiler-type chicks hatched during June 2015 totaled 787 million, up 3 percent from June 2014. Eggs in incubators totaled 652 million on July 1, 2015, up 2 percent from a year ago.

Leading breeders placed 7.79 million broiler-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during June 2015, up 10 percent from June 2014.

BROILER-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED, JUNE

	2014	2015	<u>2015</u>
State	2014	2013	2014
	Thou	sands	Percent
Alabama	103,091	106,655	103
Arkansas	76,783	78,436	102
Delaware	16,077	16,868	105
Florida	4,432	4,458	101
Georgia	122,093	123,482	101
Kentucky	27,914	28,716	103
Louisiana	13,939	13,889	100
Maryland	27,092	28,815	106
Mississippi	62,663	65,687	105
Missouri	29,521	30,120	102
North Carolina	74,769	77,988	104
Oklahoma	23,743	23,809	100
Pennsylvania	15,447	16,714	108
South Carolina	17,686	19,619	111
Texas	53,301	55,693	104
Virginia	24,066	23,406	97
California, Missouri,			
Tennessee and West Virginia	42,575	43,532	102
Other States 1/	29,220	29,364	100
UNITED STATES	764,412	787,251	103

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U.S. EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

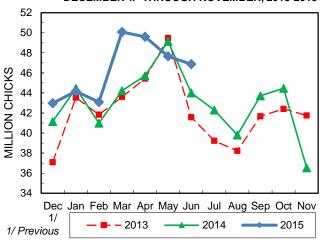
Egg-type chicks hatched during June 2015 totaled 46.9 million, up 7 percent from June 2014. Eggs in incubators totaled 43.8 million on July 1, 2015, up 7 percent from a year ago.

Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 320 thousand during June 2015, up 86 percent from June 2014.

EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED, BY MONTH, UNITED STATES

State	2014	2015	<u>2015</u> 2014	
	Thous	sands	Percent	
Jan	44,458	44,174	99	
Feb	40,986	43,091	105	
Mar	44,233	50,077	113	
Apr	45,703	49,595	109	
May	49,146	47,652	97	
Jun	44,006	46,868	107	
Jul	42,297			
Aug	39,803			
Sep	43,722			
Oct	44,468			
Nov	36,544			
Dec	42,980			

EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED, UNITED STATES DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015



EGGS IN INCUBATORS, JULY 1

		Broiler-Type	Egg-Type			
Geographic Division	2014 2015		<u>2015</u> 2014	2014	2015	<u>2015</u> 2014
	Thous	ands	Percent	Thousands		Percent
North Atlantic	13,685	14,301	105	5,300	7,969	150
East No. Central	14,463	14,620	101	8,727	8,371	96
West No. Central	30,594	31,263	102	10,395	10,525	101
South Atlantic	246,908	251,216	102	4,256	4,636	109
South Central	309,525	316,538	102	6,337	5,631	89
West	23,312	24,077	103	6,026	6,664	111
UNITED STATES	638,487	652,015	102	41,041	43,796	107

U.S. POULTRY AND EGG PRICES

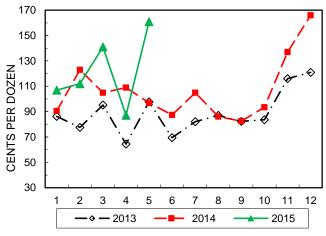
Nationally, the May market egg price, at \$1.61 per dozen, increased 73.8 cents from April and is 63.9 cents above May 2014. The May broiler price, at 65.0 cents per pound, is up 1.0 cent from April but is 8.0 cents below a year earlier. At 75.9 cents per pound, the May turkey price is up 5.7 cents from the previous month and 3.3 cents from 2014.

POULTRY AND EGG AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED 1/

Commodity	Unit	May 2014	April 2015	May 2015		
·		Cents				
UNITED STATES Chickens-Broilers Market Eggs 2/ 3/ Turkeys	Lbs. Doz. Lbs.	73.0 97.1 72.6	64.0 87.2 70.2	65.0 161.0 75.9		

- 1/ The estimated prices shown in the table represent composite average prices received by producers. They are averages for all grades, classes and methods of sale of each commodity for the State and U.S. as a whole.
- 2/ Mid-month prices.
- 3/ Also referred to as table eggs.

MARKET EGG PRICE, UNITED STATES JANUARY THROUGH DECEMBER, 2013-2015



U.S. TURKEY HATCHERY PRODUCTION

Turkey eggs in incubators on July 1, 2015, in the United States totaled 27.5 million, down 4 percent from July 1, 2014. Eggs in incubators were up 1 percent from the June 1, 2015 total of 27.2 million eggs.

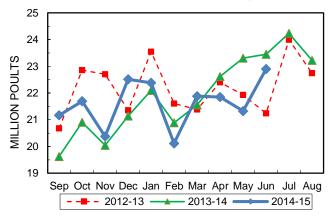
Turkey poults hatched during June 2015, in the United States totaled 23.2 million, down 2 percent from June 2014. Poults hatched were up 5 percent from the May 2015 total of 22.2 million poults.

The 22.9 million net poults placed during June 2015 in the United States were down 2 percent from the number placed during the same month a year earlier. Net placements were up 7 percent from the May 2015 total of 21.3 million.

U.S. TURKEY EGGS IN INCUBATORS AND POULTS HATCHED BY MONTH

	Eggs in ir			Poults hato		
Month	first of	month	<u>2014-15</u>	mo	<u>2014-15</u>	
WOTH	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14
	Thous	sands	Percent	Thousands		Percent
Sept.	25,524	27,388	107	20,974	22,844	109
Oct.	26,466	27,842	105	22,928	23,744	104
Nov.	26,379	28,004	106	21,308	21,936	103
Dec.	26,478	28,964	109	22,074	24,660	112
Jan.	27,278	29,281	107	23,430	24,023	103
Feb.	26,909	27,144	101	21,486	21,721	101
Mar.	26,035	28,250	109	22,380	24,179	108
Apr.	27,195	28,799	106	22,800	23,261	102
May	29,017	26,845	93	24,189	22,161	92
June	28,918	27,232	94	23,647	23,189	98
July	28,627	27,480	96	24,405		
Aug.	27,759			23,500		

NET U.S. TURKEY POULT PLACEMENTS SEPTEMBER THROUGH AUGUST, 2012-2015



NET U.S. TURKEY POULT PLACEMENTS 1/

	Total Al	Breeds	<u>2014-15</u>	Cumulat	ive Total	<u>2014-15</u>
Month	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14
	Thou	sands	Percent	Thousands		Percent
Sept.	19,624	21,169	108	19,624	21,169	108
Oct.	20,908	21,695	104	40,532	42,864	106
Nov.	20,042	20,379	102	60,574	63,243	104
Dec.	21,138	22,516	107	81,712	85,759	105
Jan.	22,096	22,383	101	103,808	108,142	104
Feb.	20,889	20,119	96	124,697	128,261	103
Mar.	21,557	21,885	102	146,254	150,146	103
Apr.	22,621	21,851	97	168,875	171,997	102
May	23,310	21,329	92	192,185	193,326	101
June	23,452	22,899	98	215,637	216,225	100
July	24,234			239,871		
Aug.	23,224			263,095		

1/ Excludes exported poults.

PACIFIC COAST AND UNITED STATES COLD STORAGE

Commodity	Unit	June 30, 2014	June 30, 2014 May 31, 2015 June 30, 2015		<u>Jun. 2015</u> Jun. 2014	<u>Jun. 2015</u> May. 2015
	Ī		Thousands		Percent	
PACIFIC COAST						
Turkeys	Lbs.	19,007	14,358	20,363	107	142
Chickens	Lbs.	41,818	60,700	65,807	157	108
Ducks	Lbs.	605	1,395	1,737	287	125
Total Frozen Poultry Supplies	Lbs.	61,430	76,453	87,907	143	115
UNITED STATES						
Turkeys	Lbs.	462,586	439,156	458,089	99	104
Chickens	Lbs.	591,350	739,063	722,477	122	98
Ducks	Lbs.	1,824	6,743	10,818	593	160
Total Frozen Poultry Supplies	Lbs.	1,055,760	1,184,962	1,191,384	113	101
Eggs, Frozen	Lbs.	30,142	28,092	26,776	89	95